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# PCSRI Goals

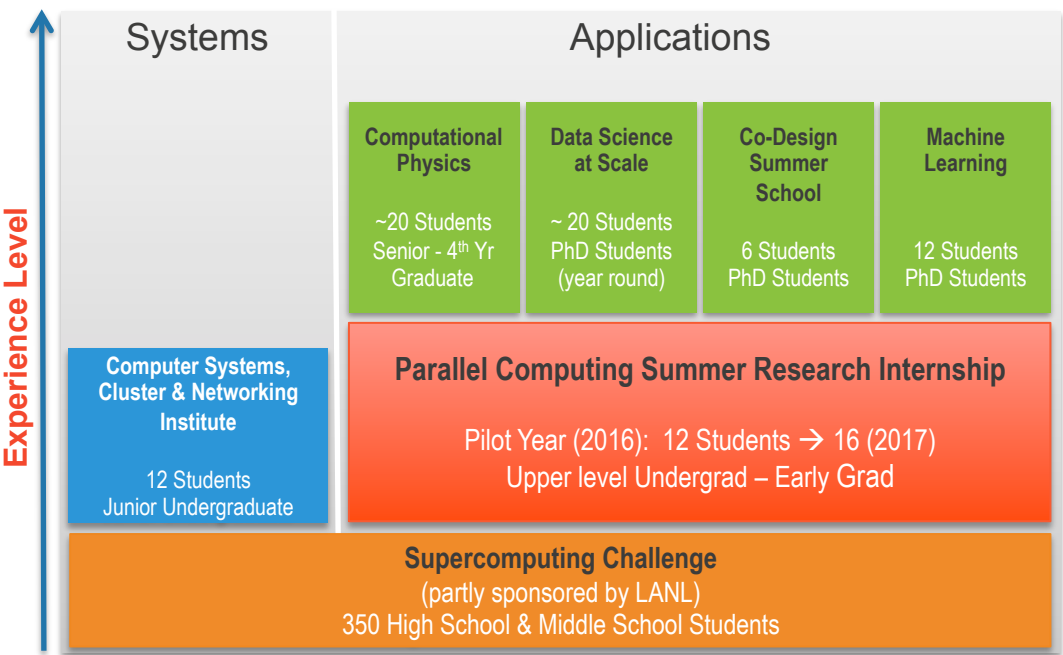


Figure 1: LANL HPC/Computing Student Pipeline by experience level and topic area.

➤ **TRAINING NEXT GENERATION**

- Provide solid HPC education
- Explore algorithms, methods and technologies based on architectural features
- Instill good software development practices

➤ **DEVELOP COLLABORATION SKILLS**

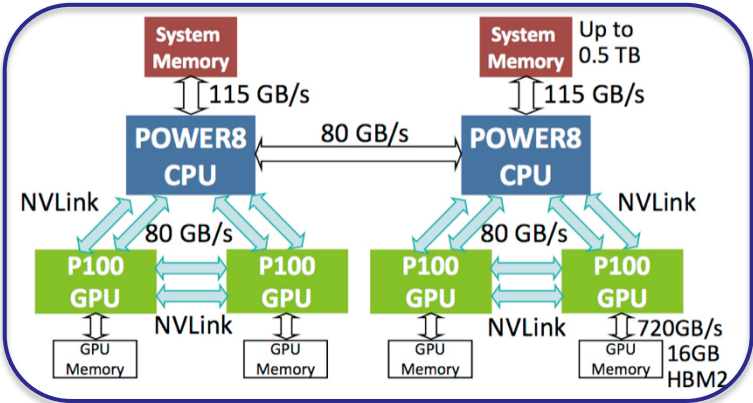
- Create a common language and break down barriers from science domain to hardware

➤ **ESTABLISH NEW PIPELINE FOR LANL & OTHER PROGRAMS**

- Over half of staff historically have started in student programs

Needed NOW more than ever  
*HPC is increasing in complexity*

**CPU + GPU**



**Many-Core**



**EXASCALE**

On-Node  
Parallelism

Affinity

In-Situ  
Visualization

Asynchronous  
Task-Based

Memory Hierarchy

Performance Portability

Profiling

Schedulers - SLURM

Threading + Scoping

Vectorization

Compiler Bugs



# Three Phases of PCSRI



## Real-World Computing Resources

- Darwin in CCS @ LANL
  - KNL, Broadwell, Haswell, Sandybridge, GPUs, IBM Power8 + P100, etc.
- LANL Institutional Computing
  - Grizzly (Broadwell), Wolf (Sandybridge)
- LANL ASC Computing
  - Trinitite (Haswell + Knights Landing)
- NSF & NCSA
  - Bluewaters – Cray XE6 + XK7 (K20 GPU)
- NERSC
  - Cori (Intel Haswell + Knights Landing)

**Compute-time allocations  
via proposal**

# Leadership/Organization: It Takes a Community

## Co-Leads



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**XCP-2**



**Hai Ah Nam**  
**CCS-2**



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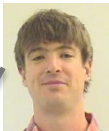
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## Guest Lecturers

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Scott Pakin (CCS-7)  
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David Rogers (CCS-7)  
Jennifer Estrada (ISR)  
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Angela Herring (XCP-1)  
Doug Jacobsen (Intel)  
John Levesque (Cray)

**THANK YOU!**

# 2017 Students: 16 Brave & Diverse Souls



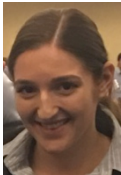
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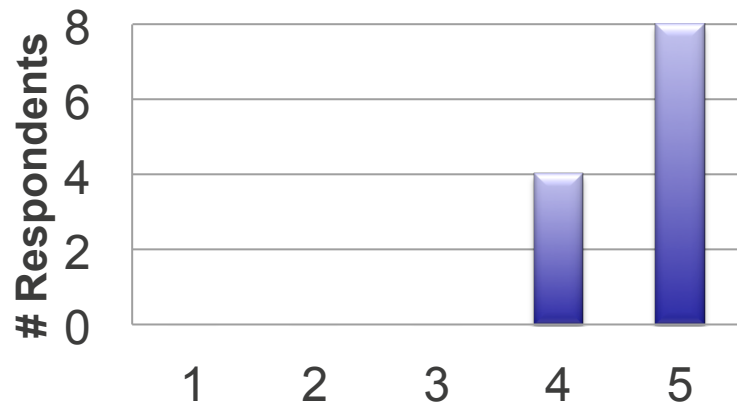
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# Retention

## How would you rate this internship experience?

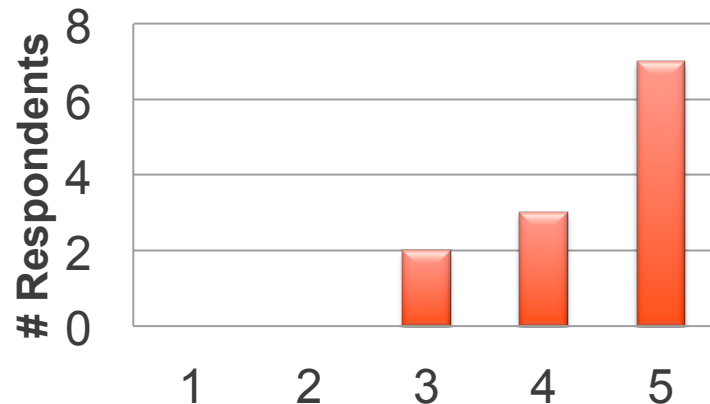
1 (eh, it was ok) to 5 (wow, I learned a lot)



### • Actively returning or engaged

- AML2018 – Sunu, Leyba, Carroll
- Other internship – Kruse (quantum computing), Fox (neuromorphic), Soter (nuclear medicine), Johnson (USRC), Patil (CFD), Carlson (GPU)

**Are you interested in returning to LANL (e.g. another internship, postdoc, future staff position)?** 1 (not interested) to 5 (very interested)



- Looking for placement: Fogerty (9/2017), Navarro (12/2017), Bishnu (GRA)
- @ LANL: Rosenberger (A-1), Kaiser (XCP-4 continuation w/ Canfield), Carlson & Carroll (CCS-3 continuation w/ Kenyon)
- Unsure: Short (dissertation), LeCover (bio, kinetics)